

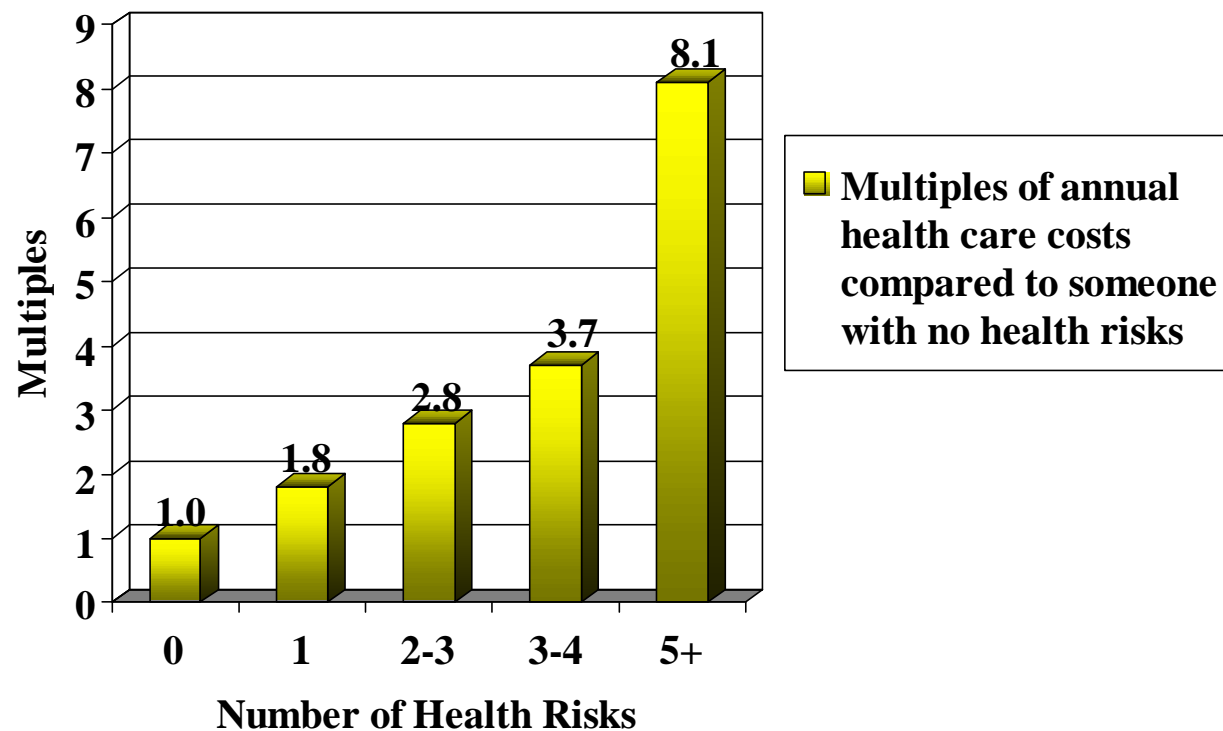


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Anti-Poverty Forum: Why Poverty Affects Us All June 29, 2006

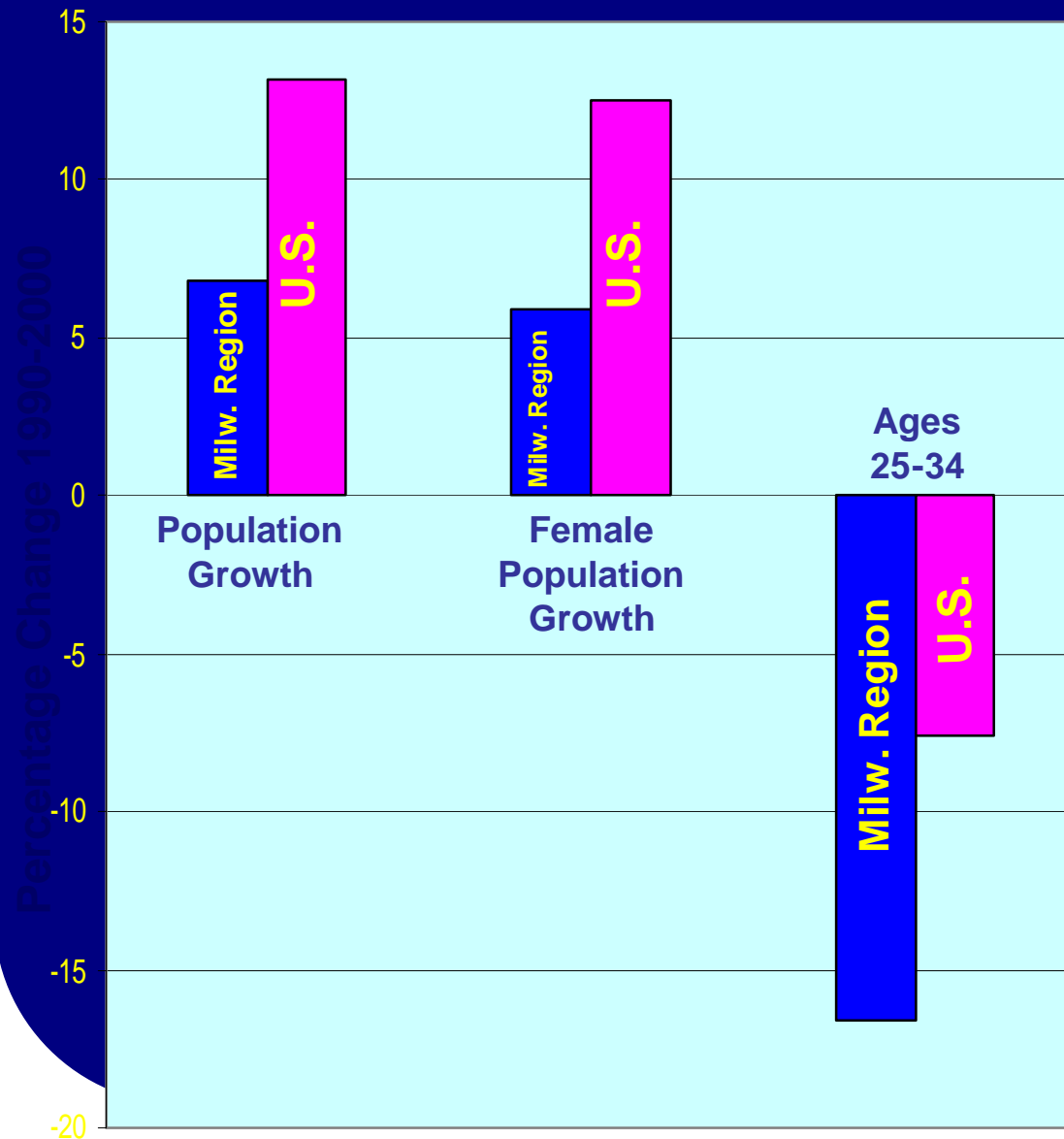
1. Education
2. Teen-pregnancy
3. Incarceration
4. Drug addiction
5. Mental illness

Effects of Multiple Risk Factors

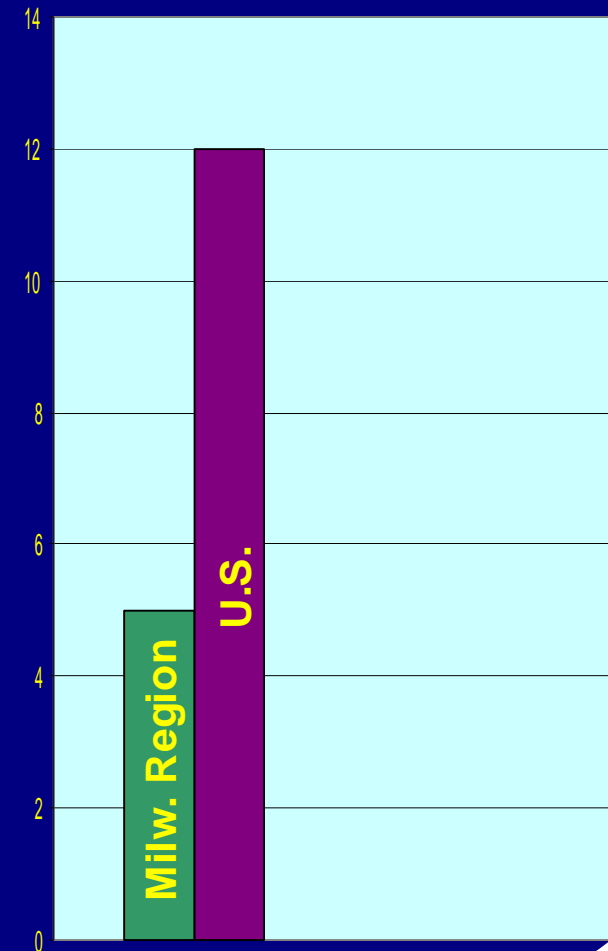


1974 1976 1978 1980 1982 1984 1986 1988 1990 1992 1994 1996 1998 2000 2002 2004 **2006** 2008 2010

Population Demographics: What the Future Holds



Foreign-Born Residents as a % of Population



DROPOUT RATE – MILWAUKEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

	Dropout Rate
1993/94	15.4
1994/95	12.8
1995/96	9.9
1996/97	13.9
1997/98	12.4
1998/99	11.6
1999/00	10.4
2000/01	10.6
2001/02	9
2002/03	10.2
Average rate, 1993/94 to 1997/98	12.9
Average rate, 1998/99 to 2002/03	10.4

Average Large American City % of Population with a College Degree

	2000	2020
Average City	27%	40% (est.)
Milwaukee	18%	36%* (goal)

* Would require an additional 100,000 college graduates

Education: Our Economic Magnifier

7-County Region	1990	% of Population	2000	% of Population
Population over 25	1,151,145		1,243,854	
Bachelor's degree or higher	231,033	20.1%	316,698	25.0%
No high school degree	241,779	21.0%	195,795	14.8%



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Births to Teenage Mothers

Ranked lowest to highest by percent of all live births to teenage mothers, 1999

Comparable Metros	1994	1999	Percent Point Chg.
Minneapolis-St. Paul	7.7%	7.5%	-0.2
Pittsburgh	9.3%	8.5%	-0.8
Raleigh-Durham-Chapel Hill	9.3%	8.5%	-0.8
Salt Lake City-Ogden	11.1%	9.8%	-1.3
Portland-Vancouver	11.0%	10.0%	-1.0
Buffalo-Niagara Falls	10.4%	10.3%	-0.1
Sacramento	12.8%	10.7%	-2.1
Columbus	12.7%	10.9%	-1.8
Kansas City	12.7%	11.7%	-1.0
Orlando	14.1%	11.9%	-2.2
Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill	13.4%	12.1%	-1.3
Cincinnati	13.3%	12.3%	-1.0
Indianapolis	13.2%	12.5%	-0.7
Nashville	14.6%	12.7%	-1.9
Milwaukee	13.1%	12.9%	-.02
San Antonio	16.9%	16.6%	-0.3

“40% of Wisconsin’s inmate population is returned to three zip codes in Milwaukee.”

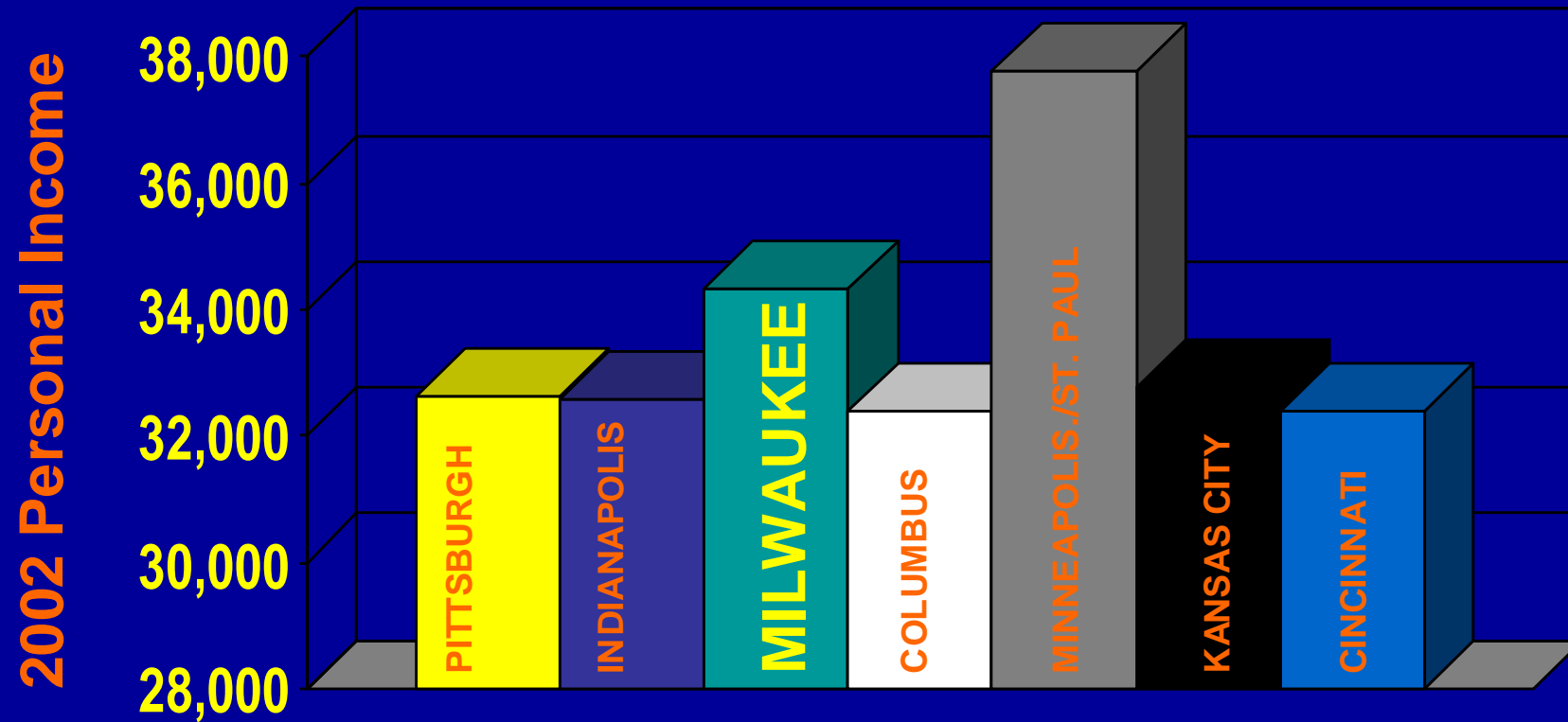
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Milwaukee Per Capita Personal Income

1997 → 2002
22.5 % Increase



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Economist Magazine*